projects may be awarded to any responsible applicant in accordance with 40 CFR 30.340:

- (a) The Clean Air Act, as amended—public or nonprofit private agencies, institutions, organizations, and to individuals.
- (b) Resource Conservation and Recovery Act.
- (1) Section 8001, public authorities, agencies, and institutions; private agencies and institutions; and individuals.
- (2) Sections 8004 and 8005, public agencies and authorities or private persons.
- (3) Section 8006, State, municipal, interstate or intermunicipal agencies.
- (4) No grant may be made under this Act to any private profit-making organization.
- (c) The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended—other Federal agencies, universities, or others as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of the act.
- (d) The Federal Water Pollution Control Act. as amended:
- (1) Section 104(b)—State water pollution control agencies, interstate agencies, other public or nonprofit private agencies, institutions, organizations, and to individuals.
- (2) Sections 104 (h) and (i)—public or private agencies and organizations and to individuals.
- (3) Section 104(r)—colleges and universities.
- (4) Section 104(s)—institutions of higher education.
- (5) Sections 105 (a), (e)(2), and 107—State, municipal, interstate, and intermunicipal agencies.
- (6) Section 195(b)—State or States or interstate agency.
- (7) Sections 105 (c) and (e)(1)—persons
- (8) Section 108—State, political subdivision, interstate agency, or other public agency, or combination thereof.
- (9) Section 113—only to the State of Alaska.
- (e) The Public Health Service Act, as amended—only to nonprofit agencies, institutions, organizations, and to individuals

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§40.135 Application.

§40.135-1 Preapplication coordination.

- (a) All applicants. (1) Applicants for research and demonstration grants are encouraged to contact EPA for further information and assistance prior to submitting a formal application. The EPA regional office or the laboratory nearest the applicant will be able to provide such assistance or to refer the applicant to an appropriate EPA representative.
- (2) Applicants shall prepare an environmental assessment of the proposed project where applicable, outlining the anticipated impact on the environment pursuant to 40 CFR part 6.
- (b) Applications for grants for demonstration projects funded by the Office of Solid Waste will be solicited through the Department of Commerce Business Daily, and selections will be made on a competitive basis.

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$\S 40.135-2$ Application requirements.

All applications for research and demonstration grants shall be submitted in an original and 8 copies to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460, in accordance with §§ 30.315 through 30.315–3.

(a) Applications involving human subjects. (1) Safeguarding the rights and welfare of human subjects involved in projects supported by EPA grants is the responsibility of the institution which receives or is accountable to EPA for the funds awarded for the support of the project.

(2) Institutions must submit to EPA, for review, approval, and official acceptance, a written assurance of its compliance with guidelines established by Department of Health, Education, and Welfare concerning protection of human subjects. However, institutions which have submitted and have had accepted, general assurance to DHEW under these guidelines will be considered as being in compliance with this requirement. These guidelines are provided in DHEW Publication No. (NIH) 72-102, the "Institutional Guide to DHEW Policy on Protection of Human